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BY ECF

The Honorable Vernon S. Broderick
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007

Re: *United States v. Ng Lap Seng, 15-cr-706-3 (VSB)*
Second Letter in Further Support of Emergency Motion for Reconsideration

Dear Judge Broderick:

Counsel for Defendant Ng Lap Seng submit this second letter in further support of his Emergency Motion for Reconsideration (*see* ECF Nos. 974–75). Counsel has been informed that Ng's roommate tested positive for COVID-19 earlier today and that approximately half of the inmates from their unit tested positive for the virus over the past two weeks. Although Mr. Ng recently tested negative for COVID-19, the virus is running rampant throughout his unit and facility. It could be just a short matter of time before Mr. Ng gets infected with COVID-19 (if he has not already since he last received a test) and becomes seriously ill or dies from it. Mr. Ng fears for his life, and prays that Your Honor grants him compassionate release.

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We again thank the Court for its courtesy in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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